Web Service Migration using the Analytic Hierarchy Process

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Outline



Introduction

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- Service and Provider Context Profiles

Web service Migration Framework

- Web service Migration Architecture
- Migration Decision Making Based on the Analytic Hierarchy Process

Summary and Future Work



- Web Services provided by mobile/embedded devices
 - have to utilize limited resources (CPU, RAM, battery, etc.)
 - run in unreliable environment (network connection, etc.)
- In such cases the challenge is to ensure QoS
- Software mobility can be comprehended as service migration in Service-oriented Architectures (SOA)
 - by enabling services to be moved across the service providers at runtime
 - by enabling service re-usability that is one of SOA principles



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- 4. Define service and service provider static preferences in Jena rules form.
- 5. Consider performance during processing of the model in Jena.

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Service and Provider Context Profiles - Example



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   property),(?property rdf:type core:ServiceType), (?property core:propertyValue ?v1), eq(?v1,
   "major"^^http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema#sting) -> (?destination core:possibleProvidedService ?
   service)]
 </rule>
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Migration Decision Making Based on AHP

• AHP computes the composite weight vector p of all possible n migrations

$$P = V \cdot w$$

- AHP requires:
- List of *n* possible migrations (the result of reasoning process of system services and service provider preferences + SPARQL query)
- 2. List of *m* considered criteria (extracted from system model)
- 3. Criteria comparison Matrix *A* to compute *w* vector (automatically generated by implementing *InitializeCriteriaMatrix* algorithm based on *CriteriaPriorities* of individual criteria)
- 4. Migration comparison Matrix for each criterion to compute *V* vector (automatically generated by implementing *InitializeMigrationMatrices* algorithm)

- 1. Service migration between devices is utilized to increase the adaptability of SOA in a mobile environment.
- 2. Automatic discovery of new providers and services joining a system.
- 3. Web service migration based on services and providers preferences reasoning process by Jena reasoners.
- 4. Analytic Hierarchy Process (AHP) decision making method is used to find the best possible Web service migrations.
- 5. Web service migration is proposed to keep a required quality of services (QOS).

Future work

- **1.** Improve scalability and performance of the framework.
- 2. Extend the implementation with other mobile cloud computing features.

Thank you for your attention!